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FROM: W. Hugh Jones, Jr.,

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RE: Town of Murfreesboro, ordinances punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)

Title I, General Provisions, General Code of Construction; General Penalty. Section 10.99 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Murfreesboro provides as follows: "Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of any section or division of this code of ordinance for which no other penalty is provided, or failing or neglecting or refusing to comply with same, shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor and subject to a fine not to exceed \$50 or imprisonment not to exceed 30 days, and each day that any of the provisions of this code of ordinances are violated shall constitute a separate offense".

<u>Title V, Public Works:</u> Chapter 50: General Water and Sewer Regulations. Section 50.01 Water and Sewer Connection Required, Section 50.02 Permit for Connection Required, Section 50.03 Separate Connections Required, Section 50.05 Privies and Septic Tanks, Section 50.06 Private Water Supply Regulated, Section 50.07 Use of Town Water, Section 50.08 Tampering with Water or Sewer Equipment, Section 50.11 Cleanout Plug Required, pursuant to Section 50.99, Penalty, "The

violation of any provision of this chapter shall constitute a misdemeanor punishable upon conviction by a fine not exceeding \$50 or imprisonment not exceeding 30 days, as provided in G.S. Sec. 14-4.

Chapter 51: Discharges Into Municipal Sanitary Sewers, Section 51.004 Connections Required, Section 51.005 Connection Permit, Section 51.006 Connection to Public Sewer; Abandonment of Private System, Section 51.020 Prohibited Discharges, Section 51.021 Inflow Sources and Surface Runoff Water, Section 51.023 Radioactive Waste, Section 51.024 Point of Discharge, Section 51.025 Holding Tank Wastes, all punishable by Chapter 51.999 Penalty. (A) Any person, including any responsible officer or employee of a corporate violator, who willfully or negligently violates any provisions of this chapter, or falsifies any information or data in any application, report or other document given to the town under this chapter, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, as provided in G.S. Sec. 14-4.

Chapter 53: Garbage Regulations, Section 53.02 Removal of Garbage Required, Section 53.03 Garbage Containers, Section 53.04 Preparation of Garbage, Section 53.05 Depositing Garbage on Public or Private Property, Section 53.06 Burning Garbage, all reference Section 10.99 for the penalty.

<u>Title VII, Traffic Code, Chapter 71: Traffic Regulations.</u> Chapter 71, traffic regulations appears to call for civil penalties.

Chapter 72, Stopping, Standing and Parking. Section 72.01 Vehicles not to Stop in Streets, Section 72.02 Vehicles not to Obstruct Passage of Other Vehicles, Section 72.04 Standing or Parking Prohibited for Certain Purposes, Section 72.05 Moving of Vehicles of Other Operators into Restricted Areas, Section 72.06 Parking Prohibited at all Times on Certain Streets, Section 72.07 Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours on Certain Designated Streets, Section 72.09 Bus and Taxicab Stands, Section 72.10 Limitation on Number of Taxicabs Parked Within Same Block, Section 72.26 Vehicles Backed up to Curb, Section 72.27 Left Side to Curb Prohibited in Business Districts, Section 72.28 Parking Within Lines, Section 72.30 Parking at 45-Degree Angle with Curb, Section 72.31 Parking used for Transporting Explosives Prohibited.

Chapter 73, Traffic Schedules, Schedule I, Speed Limits and Schedule II, Left Turns, all reference Section 10.99 for the penalty.

<u>Title IX, General Regulations:</u> Chapter 90: Abandoned vehicles. Section 90.03 Abandoned Vehicle Unlawful; Removal Authorized, Section 90.04 Nuisance or Junked Motor Vehicles; Pre-towing Requirements and Section 90.15 Unlawful Removed of Impounded Vehicle provide for penalties pursuant to Section 10.99., a misdemeanor punishable by fine not to exceed \$10.00.

Chapter 92: Cemeteries. Section 92.01 Burial Permitted Only in Certain Cemeteries, Section 92.02 Purchase of Lots Required for Burial, Section 92.03 Size of

Lots, Deed Provisions, Section 92.10 Signs, Notices or Advertisements Prohibited, Section 92.25 Boundary Markers, Steps, Gravestones or Monuments.

Chapter 93: Civil Emergencies. Section 93.03 (A) During the existence of a proclaimed state of emergency it shall be unlawful for any person to violate any provision in any restriction imposed by any proclamation authorized by the Chapter, penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

Chapter 94: Fire Prevention and Protection. Penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

Chapter 95: Noise. Penalties as provided in Section 95.99. (Same as Section 10.99)

Chapter 96: Nuisances. Penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

Chapter 97: Health and Sanitation. Penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

Chapter 98: Streets and Sidewalks. Section 98.001 Awnings Extending Over Sidewalks, Section 98.002 Signs Hanging Over Sidewalks or Streets, Section 98.003 Gates Opening On Streets Or Sidewalks, Section 98.004 Obstructing Streets or Sidewalks, Section 98.005 Barbed Wire Fences, Section 98.006 Trash, Refuse or Filth, Section 98.007 Excavations, Section 98.008 Playing in Streets, Section 98.009 Trees and Shrubs, Section 98.014 Dam Activities, Section 98.031 Permit Required; Exception, Section 98.032 Permit Application, Section 98.040 Duties of Permittee, Section 98.042 Public Conduct During Parades, Section 98.043 Time Restrictions, Section 98.044 Assembling For Unlawful Purposes, Section 98.045 Disturbing Lawful Assembly, Section 98.046 Disturbing Funerals, Section 98.061 Permit Required; Exception, Section 98.062 Permit Application, Section 98.069 Duties of Permittee, Section 98.072 Public Conduct During Special Events, and Section 98.086 Permit Required, penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

<u>Title XI, Business Regulations,</u> Chapter 110: Advertising. Section 110.03 Distribution of Handbills, Section 110.04 Billposters and Section 110.05 Bills and Posters, penalties as provided in Section 10.99

Chapter 111: General Licensing. Section 111.20 Uninvited Solicitation and Section 111.21 Pool and Billiard Rooms, penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

Chapter 113: Taxicabs; Vehicles For Hire. Section 113.03 Compliance With Law Required, Section 113.04 Quality and Scope of Service, Section 113.05 Records and Report, Section 113.06 Manifests, Section 113.07 Vehicle Equipment Standards and Inspections, Section 113.08 Rates of Fare, Section 113.09 Fraud By Passenger, Section 113.10 Solicitation of Passengers, Section 113.12 Passenger Restrictions, Section 113.13 Selling Intoxicants or Narcotics, Section 113.14 Transporting Persons For Immoral or Unlawful Purpose, Section 113.30 Certificate Required, Section

113.35 Business and Vehicle License Fees Prerequisite to Issuance, Section 113.36 Transfer, and Section 113.50 License Required, penalties as provided in Section 10.99.

<u>Title XIII: General Offenses</u>, Chapter 130: General Offenses, Section 130.01 Use of Firearms or Fireworks, Section 130.02 Shooting or Projecting Hard Substances; Archery, Section 130.03 Public Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages, Section 130.04 Trick or Treating, Section 130.05 Begging, Section 130.06 Expectorating, Section 130.07 Failing to Pay Fares or Fees, Section 130.08 Loitering For the Purpose of Engaging in Drug-Related Activity, and Section 130.21 Permit Required, penalties as provided in Section 10.99

<u>Title XV, Land Usage</u>, Chapter 150: Building Code, provides for penalties pursuant to Section 10.99.

Chapter 153: Abandoned Structures, Section 153.13 Violations, penalties as provided in Section 10.99.